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## SNAPPING TURTLES.

The Father of Them All Recently  
Seen on His Travels.

The Connecticut Valley the Home of  
Many Very Large Ones—A Legend of  
the King of Turtles—  
Turtle Day.

A bevy of country people gathering herbs along the shore of Ayer's bay, in a wild region of Essex town, in the Connecticut valley, a day or two ago, saw a queer-looking thing that looked like the top of a small shed climbing sideways—a little turtle land in a lonely pasture.

It is not the habit of shed roofs even in the Connecticut Valley, to take unto themselves legs and go gallivanting across lots, and the wondering herb gatherers advanced directly upon the fugitive phenomenon in the pasture. It paid no heed to the men, but just crept and paddled on slowly sideways in a business-like way. It was mounted on thick, sprawling, red legs that moved clumsily, and it had a long, curved, eagle-like head, with horn-like beak, that protruded half a foot out of a dormer window in the shed roof.

One thing is quite certain, it was the father of all snapping turtles—all natnng snappers, at least—and it keenly appreciated, seemingly, the dignity and grandeur that went with that unique and self isolating distinction. That's the reason, no doubt, it seemed to bother itself about a parcel of ordinary, ephemeral farmers. The fact is, the old chap was contemporary with the herb-gatherers' great-great-grandfathers; most likely was coeval with the epoch when the Pequot Indians were prancing up and down the valley, warwhooping and scalping palefaces.

Nevertheless, two of the bold farmers seized the venerable snapper by his front flippers, and with a herculean upward tug flopped him over on his back.

Then they had him. They were very much surprised, however, at finding a brass ring set into the monster's shell, and attached to the ring was a metal "check," like a baggage tag, that was as big as a silver quarter. On the check was engraved the word "Groton"—the name of a country town near New London, twelve miles away, in New London county—together with the date, "1864." He weighed exactly one hundred and thirty-three pounds.

Some one in 1864, the men reasoned, had met with the turtle in Groton, fastened the check with the legend noted to his shell and turned him adrift; and in the intervening years since the wanderer had climbed across the rugged landscape into Middlesex county and Essex. Having satisfied their curiosity about him, the herb-gatherers flopped the big fellow back into his former and normal locomotive position, and then he resumed his slow march in taciturn and apparently meditative and tranquil mood.

A local legend has it that the kingpin of all turtles still inhabits a quarry pond near Portland, higher up the valley and south of this city, and farmers who have seen him, after he had stolen geese or turkeys from them and was making off through the fields to his lair in the depth of the pond, never that his weight is not less than a hundred and seventy pounds. Several efforts on the part of exasperated farmers to capture the venerable spoiler proved unsuccessful, and once scores of men drew off the waters of the pond and "laid for" him, but he was not "at home" to them at that particular time.

Not far south of the hamlet of Essex there is an inlet of the Connecticut river called Turtle Bay, whose shores at this time are frequented by scores of turtles, big and little ones, sunning their curved backs on warm, mud flats and sleeping. Hundreds of turtles have been captured there from time to time whose weight ranged all the way from fifty to one hundred pounds apiece.—N.Y. Sun.

## A Gifted Queen.

Catherine II. the Great was perhaps the most gifted woman who ever sat on a throne. Her state policy was broad and enlightened, and although she was engaged in almost continual foreign wars, they are believed to have been, in a measure at least, forced upon her by the almost ungovernable turbulence of her people. Her private life was vicious. She had innumerable lovers, and when she became tired of one had his commission made out for a foreign appointment, and told him that a little travel would be good for his health. He always traveled. By one of those curious contradictions often seen in human nature, she devoted what time she

had to her people.

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your case, if you are over-

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FRIDAY, JULY, 27. 1894.

### Democratic Ticket.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce  
E. T. WILLIAMS  
As the Democratic nominee for County  
Judge of Ohio county. Election  
November 6, 1894.

### Republican Ticket.

Election, Nov. 6.

For Appellate Judge—B. L. D. Guffey.  
For County Judge—John P. Morton.  
For Sheriff—Cal. P. Keown.  
For County Clerk—D. M. Hocker.  
For County Attorney—E. P. Neal.  
For Assessor—N. C. Daniel.  
For Jailer—John W. Black.  
For Surveyor—G. S. Fitzhugh.  
For Coroner—G. C. Westerfield.  
MAGISTRATES:

Hartford—A. S. Aull.  
Rosine—C. L. Woodward.  
Cromwell—Jont B. Wilson.  
Fordsville—  
Buford—

CONSTITUE:  
Hartford—Hosea Shown.  
Rosine—Thomas Allen.  
Cromwell—R. B. Martin.  
Fordsville—  
Buford—

**ICE FOR SALE**  
BY  
**TRACY & SON.**

MANY visitors are attending the Institute this week.

THERE is no exaggeration in the statement that this county has the ablest corps of teachers in the State.

EVERY true teacher will go from the Institute determined to make his present five months the best school of his life.

THE number of teachers enrolled so far during the County Institute is 130, the largest enrollment in the history of the body.

THE Commercial Club, at its last meeting, took some important forward steps that are calculated to wake up this old town yet.

TEACHERS, have you discharged your duty this week? Have you done all in your power to make the Institute a success? If not, why not?

THE Ohio county Teachers' Institute grows better every year. Year by year there are more real teachers, fewer pretenses, more workers and fewer drones. This progressive move so manifest, augurs well for the building up of the common schools.

MISS MAGGIE D. WILLIAMS whom all the teachers know as an earnest Institute worker will graduate this week in the Classic Course of the Central Normal College, of Danville, Ind. Miss Williams is an able teacher and has accepted the position of Principal of the Willard (Ky.) School.

PROF. JOHN C. WILLIS, of Shelbyville, is Instructor for the Teachers' Institute this week and has completely captivated our teachers. He is one of the State's ablest educators and has for several years had much experience in Institute work, so that he is well equipped for the work in hand. Our teachers and the teachers of the State generally will learn with regret that Prof. Willis has severed his active connection with the schools of Kentucky and has joined the ranks in our sister state of Indiana. He accepted the Presidency of the Normal School at Mitchell, Ind., and with Mrs. Kate Huron Gilbert and other able teachers will take charge at once and push the work vigorously. The Ohio county teachers wish him all success in his new field and join in the hope that his path and theirs may often meet.

### Hot Shot from Illinois.

[AMERICAN ECONOMIST.]

The Congressional convention of the 21st Illinois District, which now includes the greater part of the counties in the old "Harrison" district, and where Hon. E. J. Murphy of East St. Louis is the Republican candidate, has passed the following strong resolutions:

We ask the people in the midst of the depression and discontent brought upon the country by a Democratic administration to remember that it is the legitimate and direct result of the Democratic policy of the national administration. During the last Republican administration the public debt showed a monthly increase; now it swells a monthly increase. Then there was a surplus in the treasury that met the favor of the Democratic party; now there is a deficit of over \$70,000,000 that alarms the entire country. Then the gold reserve in the Treasury was over \$100,000,000; now the Secretary of the Treasury, after selling \$50,000,000 of bonds, and increasing the public debt to that amount, is about to repeat the process to secure the credit of the Government and maintain its currency at par. Then there was prosperity and peace; now there is depression and disquiet. Then the foreign policy of the Government

was firm and dignified; now it is the laughing stock of nations. Then there were statesmen at head of affairs, able to manage and direct the complicated processes of government in the interest of the people; now the country is oppressed by financial disorder and permeated with a pervading unrest, while two equally incompetent factions of the party in power waste time in idle discussions, utterly disregarding the widespread and increasing misery of the people.

We call attention to the fact that the Democratic national platform of 1892, which was reaffirmed by the Democratic Congressional Convention of this district, pledges the nominee of that convention to Free-Trade and wild-cat money, twin devices for destruction of business, the overflow of confidence, the oppression of the laborer and the ruin of the farmer and manufacturer.

We denounce them both, and call upon the patriotic citizens who have the welfare of the nation at heart to put the seal of condemnation upon the party that, regardless of the privation and distress it has brought upon the country, proceeds with stolid indifference to plunge the business of the people still farther into ruin.

It got into power under false pretenses, and remains there only because the law regards an election. It has repudiated its supposed principles, violated its promises, broken itself into discordant factions and shown a superlative incapacity to govern the country. One experiment with it is all the country wants.

**Nolle, Jurymen.**  
When you attend court remember the Commercial Hotel is the best place for you to stop. Everything to eat that the market affords, and the best accommodations.

J. R. HERALD, Proprietor.  
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CENTERTOWN.

July 24.—Business is quite dull in our little town.

The people of this place would be very glad to see a good rain. We have only had a few local showers, but vegetation has been benefited by them very much.

Miss Minnie Rowe is visiting Mr. Alvin Rowe, of this place.

Miss Florence White is visiting Mr. H. O. Bennett this week.

Miss Susie Bowman is visiting Mr. W. T. Roark, of this place.

Miss Etta Thomas and Miss Fannie Render, of Hartford, who have been visiting the family of Mr. S. T. Brown, returned home Monday.

Quite a number of young people of this place visited the ice cream supper at Highview school house last Saturday evening. Quite a large crowd assembled on the grounds with plenty of ice cream and good music, which was rendered by the Centertown Concert Band and West Providence String Band.

Kinderhook was well represented here Saturday evening, and engaged in a game of base ball with the Mineral Springs club, Mineral Springs making 4 to 1.

**CONCORD.**  
Mr. Milton Park and family spent Saturday and Sunday in this community, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Park and Mr. and Mrs. C. Allen.

Mr. Logan Combes visited friends near Adabur Saturday.

Miss Belle Hamilton, of Sulphur Springs, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in this community.

Miss Georgia Pirtle is visiting Misses Lena and Olive Carson, of Hartford this week.

Mrs. John Reames, who has been visiting Mrs. F. W. Pirtle for some time, is visiting her brother, Mr. Art Pirtle, near Hellin.

Mr. George Hickey, Adabur, makes frequent visits to this neighborhood, whether to see his girl or not is not to be said.

Mr. J. A. Park and wife, of Clear Run, visited his sister, Mrs. C. Allen, last week.

Miss Myrtle Ambrose, of Palo, Ky., visited Miss Susie Duke Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Clarence Frank, of Clear Run, spent Sunday in this neighborhood the guest of—well, of his best girl.

Rev. W. D. Cox filled his regular appointment at Concord Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Herbert Park, of Clear Run, is trying to get a singing school at Victory.

Misses Anna and Lula Turner, of near Hartford, would have attended preaching at Concord Sunday if they had not been too late.

A certain young lady in this neighborhood says she will have to put on mourning again since Mr. Dee York has left.

Mrs. Charlotte Lowe and son, Jimmie, of Washington neighborhood, spent Saturday night in this vicinity, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Walter Allen.

**TOUCH-ME-NOT.**

**Attention, G. A. B.**  
Comrade Thomas Galley, a member of our post, died near Horton Thursday, July 19, 1894, and was buried near Bethel church next evening. Comrade Galley was in destitute circumstances, being sick quite a while. I have authorized Comrade Dan F. Tracy to collect 50c from each member of the Preston Morton Post No. 4, of which Thomas Galley was a member in good standing. This money is to be used to defray the funeral expenses. Mr. Tracy will take country produce if you haven't the money, and will give you credit for same. Come and pay between this and our regular meeting, which is August 11, 1894.

WOOD TINSLEY, Post Com'r.

The discussion of Arithmetic was

## INSTITUTE.

### A Large and Enthusiastic Meeting of the County Teachers.

### An Interesting Programme Each Day Furnishes an Intellectual Feast for All.

#### INTERESTING NIGHT SESSIONS.

The Ohio County Teachers' Institute met in Court Hall July 23d, '94, and was called to order by Superintendent Jo. B. Rogers, at 9:30 a. m. Rev.

G. J. Bean conducted devotional exercises, after which the body proceeded to a permanent organization. The result was that Jo. B. Rogers was elected Permanent Chairman, C. M. Crowe, Secretary, J. B. Taylor Assistant Secretary, I. L. Stewart Editor, and Miss Laura Render Associate Editor.

Prof. John C. Willis then made an introductory speech, full of sound logic, impressing the idea upon the minds of the teachers that they should take an active part in the Institute work—believes that school work is the most essential work known, and that if the Institute is a failure it will be solely due to the negligence of the teachers. His talk was much appreciated and convinced the teachers that he is the right man in the right place.

Next in order was enrollment of teachers—102 were present.

The welcome address was then made by Prof. O. M. Shultz and R. Foster, the Committee on program, was continued.

The subject of Reading was introduced by class work, presented by Miss Katie Coombes. Her work was highly appreciated by the teachers and showed her ability as a teacher. She teaches reading, spelling and dialectical marks together. She teaches spelling by use of black-board—labor concert reading, but thinks it should not be taught too extensively.

The assigning of work for the afternoon was next in order, after which the Institute adjourned to meet at 1 o'clock.

**NDON.**

The meeting was called to order and the roll was called 105 teachers present.

The program for Teachers Association was called for and read by Secretary Crowe.

Why Teachers Associations fail, was ably set forth by O. M. Shultz.

He thinks the failure is due to the fact that teachers fail to attend.

He says the teachers lack a consecration to their work—that it takes strong means to rope the negligent and dilatory teacher into work. Prof. Shultz' speech was full of good rebuke and we teachers should take heed and let profit thereby.

Miss Dora E. Gibson continued the discussion by emphasizing the many good things said by Prof. Shultz.

She says one cause of failure in the County Associations is the lack of thorough organization and a thorough understanding on the part of the teacher of what is expected of him.

No other subject is dearer to me than the Association.

It is the upbuilding of the teachers profession, by association and interchange of ideas we become better prepared for work.

Prof. Willis set forth the importance of the Reading Circle and blanks were presented to those who wished to join and twenty-seven joined.

Miss Dora E. Gibson opened the discussion on Language lessons. She gave some practical hints as to the teaching of primaries. Her methods are simple but interesting—teaches language lessons with other lessons.

Favors oral lessons. Miss Dora E. Gibson says that she favors practical work before using a text book—teaches Grammar to all her students.

R. Foster says the first thing he does with a class of advanced pupils is to see that they are classified with regard to their advancement.

He allows his pupils to have no books and to have no assistance from any source.

His pupils do the criticizing instead of doing it himself. He teaches principles first.

A motion was made for the Chair to appoint a Committee to prepare a program for the night session.

Motion carried and the following committee was appointed: Prof. O. M. Shultz, John C. Willis and Sallie Quisenberry.

**RECESS.**—The Committee presented the following program, which was accepted: Song by Choir, Recitation by Miss Laura Render, Music, Recitation by Miss Mary Miller, Music.

Miss Sallie Coleman explained Spelling by class work. Her work was very interesting and was much appreciated by the teachers.

He teaches the meaning of words by prefixes and suffixes. Miss Sallie Quisenberry thinks spelling should be taught by separate lessons.

Mr. G. Tinsley says teach the child proper pronunciation from the beginning and then pronunciation will always be easily taught.

Prof. Willis assigned the work in Civics for Wednesday.

A motion was made, but lost, to have the reading of the Institute News deferred till morning.

The News was then read by I. L. Stewart.

The issue was a good one. After the Critic's report the Institute adjourned to meet at 8 a. m.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 25.**

The house was called to order by Chairman Rogers at 8:30 o'clock and devotional exercise was conducted by Dr. J. S. Coleman, after which the roll was called and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

D. H. Godsey was then elected editor for Thursday with Miss Katie Coombes as associate editor.

Prof. Willis then proposed that all the teachers contribute ten cents each for purchasing a prize and that it be given to the winner in the spelling contest to be held at night.

A majority of the teachers favored this and a Committee consisting of Prof. Willis, J. Henry Barnes and Miss Ida Smith was appointed to arrange for the

contest. Their report was received and adopted.

The subject of Civics was then introduced and as to why it should be taught in our schools, R. R. Wedding said that many reasons could be given. One was that it prepared us for citizenship and suggested Andrews Manual of the Constitution as the best text-book to use. Mr. G. S. Fitzhugh then read a very interesting paper on the subject.

The Course of History was discussed by O. M. Shultz, who said that he taught general facts in connection with the text-book, outlines and lectures.

Miss Molle Truett made a few brief remarks on this subject.

Prof. Willis outlined Government from the family to the nation and illustrated the same. Gave a graphic picture of the Prodigal Son to-day as he leaves his dear old home to go out to see the sights of the world. He also mentioned the influence of home.

**TUESDAY NIGHT.**

The meeting was opened with a cheering chorus, rendered by the class in charge of Prof. R. Foster, and the Hartford String Band dispensed some fine music.

The following program was rendered:

Recitation—Miss Mary Miller.

Music, Recitation—Miss Laura Render.

Music, Recitation—Little Miss Myra McKinney.

The program was short but highly enjoyed.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT.**

The spelling match proved a very lively affair, about forty teachers taking part.

After three rounds, participated in by the contestants, and a bout between the victors, Misses Dora E. Gibson and Nettie Rogers, the final contest was decided in favor of the latter.

**THURSDAY NIGHT.**

This was Lawyers' Night and a very interesting meeting was the result. The members of the bar had prepared the following excellent Program, which was enjoyed throughout:

Lawyer's Domain—W. T. Hayward;

Our New Constitution and its Effects

—J. S. Glenn: The Lawyer in Politics—B. D. Ringo.

The enjoyment of this occasion was further heightened by the splendid music rendered by the String Band.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by John H. Barnes, the 20th day of June, 1894.

ROWAN HOLBROOK, Clerk Ohio County Court.

# KEEP COOL

**Don't get excited!**  
**Don't suffer from heat!**

## Warm Weather Suggestions.

**Under a  
Straw Hat.**  
**Under a  
Sun Umbrella.**  
**In a Nobby  
Negligee Shirt.**  
**In a Stylish  
Rolled Collar.**  
**In a Neat  
Light Necktie.**  
**You can complete  
Your Summer Suit  
And defy Old Sol.**

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Have just what you need.

#### NEW TIME TABLE.

WEST.	
EFFECTIVE APRIL 8, 1894, 4:35 p. m.	
No. 5, Mail . . . . .	11:48 a. m.
No. 7, Lim. Ex . . . . .	11:25 p. m.
No. 31, (Local) . . . . .	4:35 p. m.
EAST.	
No. 6, Mail . . . . .	12:50 p. m.
No. 8, Lim. Ex . . . . .	3:25 a. m.
No. 32, (Local) . . . . .	5:54 a. m.
Mr. M. W. Hardwick, Ag't, Beaver Dam.	

FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1894.

Dr. E. B. Pendleton is quite sick of typhoid fever.

Miss Mary Taylor returned from Louisville Wednesday.

Attorneys J. E. Rowe and Joe Noe, Owensboro, were in town this week.

Mr. J. W. Ford went to Louisville Wednesday, returning the same day.

Master Helm Walker Louisville, is visiting his cousin, John Pendleton Taylor.

Mrs. Holmes Cummins, Memphis, is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Pendleton.

Our people were delighted with the two sermons delivered last Sunday by Rev. J. H. Teel, the new pastor of the Christian Church.

Remember C. R. Martin, the Jeweler, does all kinds of repairing on Watches, Clocks and Jewelry on short notice.

Messrs. Harry Roberts, Frank Rounds and — Sutton, Owensboro, came up Sunday on their bicycles, making the trip in a little over two hours.

Marriage licenses: Wesley Stinnett to Miss Eliza M. Weiler, J. N. Phelps to Miss Lavinia Kendall, Warren Ward to Miss Florence E. Davis.

Mr. Wesley Stinnett and Miss Eliza M. Weiler were married at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Jacob Weiler, last Thursday. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Wes Calahan, charged with stealing a watch from John Duval, had his trial Wednesday before Judge John F. Morton and was held over under \$50 bond to answer at Circuit Court.

Mr. J. M. Phelps and Miss Lavinia Kendall were married last Thursday at the home of the bride's father, Mr. B. W. Kendall. They are worthy young people and enter upon life with buoyant hopes.

We know you wear shoes. Try Carson & Co.

Freshest of Groceries and Vegetables at Hardwick.

Miss Florence White has returned from Ceulertown.

The popular thing to do is to trade with Carson & Co.

Remnant stock of slippers for cost at Fair Bros. & Co's.

Balance of Millinery at less than cost at Fair Bros. & Co's.

If you are in need of a wedding suit see Carson & Co.

Heavy weight, long measure and low price at Carson & Co's.

White Goods, Lawns, Dainties for cost at Fair Bros. & Co's.

We are having a big trade on our Summer Goods. CARSON & CO.

Closing out their entire line of summer goods at Fair Bros. & Co.

Miss Georgie Pirtle, Concord, is the guest of the Misses Carson this week.

Miss Olive Carson will visit relatives and friends in Hellin next week.

Fair Bros. & Co. will sell teachers goods and take order on Superintendent for October draw.

Fair Bros. & Co. extend the teachers of Ohio county a special invitation to visit them during the Institute.

The ice cream supper given by Rough River Lodge No. 110, K. P., at court hall last evening, was largely attended and was a success in every way.

No Creek church has one of the finest and largest choirs in the country. It was recently organized with twenty-five voices, and their singing is first-class. They are practicing nightly, and will be heard at the laying of the corner stone for the new Methodist church at Beaver Dam.

**For Rent.**  
A good farm, containing about 71 acres, lying 4 miles North of Hartford on the Hawesville road, in good state of cultivation. Will sell cheap. Call on address WM. WOODWARD, Hartford, Ky., July 19.

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Store room, only \$10 per month. The L. B. Bean, old stand, best location in town for grocery or feed store. Address,

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**Browned Last Sunday.**  
Mr. Willie Kincheloe, living on the farm of Mr. John Vancele, of the Abbeville country, was drowned at Johnson's Ferry, on Rough River, last Sunday morning. He, with his brother, had gone to the river, but finding the boat on the farther side, Mr. Kincheloe swam over after it. Just as he was ready to catch hold of the boat he sank, and before his brother could swim to him had drowned. Help was summoned at once and the body recovered. All efforts to resuscitate the man proved of no avail. The funeral took place at Pleasant Hill Monday, in the presence of a large concourse of mourning friends and relatives.

Mr. Kincheloe was a good citizen, a consistent Christian, and what seems a very sad feature of the case is the fact that he left a young and devoted wife whom he had married only a few months ago.

**For Sale.**  
A house and lot at Sulphur Springs, Ohio county, Ky., situated opposite the Hotel. Good location and house in good repair. For further information call on or address

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**Ward Davis.**  
Mr. Warren Ward and Miss Florence Davis, of No Creek, were married at Mt. Herman Church on Wednesday night in the presence of a large number of well-wishing friends. The attendants were Jo A. Barnett, Fleetwood Ward, Misses Rhoda Hipley and Lydia Ward. Rev. E. E. Pace pronounced the ceremony that joined the happy hearts. Mr. Ward is a prosperous young farmer and is quite popular. The bride is an accomplished young lady and her many friends join the REPUBLICAN in hearty congratulations and good wishes.

Last Friday while Mr. Calvin Roach was at work in the Mad River Mines a large piece of slate fell upon him, crushing him to death. The remains were interred on Saturday. He was a good citizen, and a brother to Mr. L. M. Roach, of this county.

Hartford was well represented at Sulphur Springs last Sunday. Among those who were there are the following: Misses Anna and Mary Render, Fannie Casebeer, Caroline and Margaret Barbour, Ruth Coombes, Eliza, Bert and Lida Morton, Oma Westerfield, Elizabeth Calloway, Ross Worner, Florence and Laura Morton, Mrs. E. D. Guffey and Meers. G. B. Licens W. F. Schapire, T. O. Baker, A. R. Carson, T. J. Morton, C. L. Hardwick, Jo. Mullhall, R. D. Walker, R. Collins, A. Duke, M. Nean, and Sam A. Anderson. The Springs have been greatly improved and is now a model summer resort.

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July 23.—Owing to the existing dry weather crops in this community are not good. Many adjoining communities have had good rains but the rainfall here has been very light.

Mr. John Metcalfe is very sick, and it is thought by the doctors to be typhoid fever.

Miss Attye Austin returned home Sunday from Louisville.

Mrs. Alice Barnard is in Buford this week.

Miss Sadie Austin has been sick for the past week.

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July 24.—The Austin House is still

closed.

Miss Minnie Reading is visiting Mrs. C. L. Beard. Miss Reading is of Hawesville, Ky.

Mr. John P. Haswell, Jr., Mr. W. A. Smith, Mr. V. B. Burton and your correspondent represented Breckinridge county at the Republican convention at Leitchfield.

The convention at Leitchfield on the 18th was undoubtedly a patriotic one. We are led to this conclusion by reason of the many and varied tributes paid to "Old Glory."

Mrs. Viola Beard, wife of William Beard, met with a peculiar yet serious accident recently. A Mr. Mattingly was shooting at a dog with a pistol. It was early in the morning, and Mrs. Beard had not arisen. She was lying in bed in front of the door, which was ajar. The bullet came in through the door and struck her on the lower jaw, shattering the bone and knocking out three teeth. She is doing well, however, and will recover from the effects of the wound.

Mr. Allen R. Kincheloe will teach the public school at this place this fall. He will be assisted by Miss Lillian Cooper. Mr. Kincheloe was granted license to practice law last May, and will begin to practice when his school is out. He is a hard student and will make a good lawyer.

Some of our good citizens have lost out on some men representing the C. E. Meiss Company, of Columbus, Ohio. This company was selling charts, apparatus, etc., under the new school law. They canvassed the county last winter and spring making bills with our livery and hotel men. Their names were Sellers, Dorr and Vorles. They pulled up stakes, leaving their bills unpaid. Parties whom they owed are now attaching their goods and accounts.

The Hardinsburg and Cloverport base ball teams crossed ball last Friday to the sorrow of the former. The Hardinsburg boys have been considered invincible in this neck of the woods until this season. They have met with defeat in two games out of three with the Cloverport team.

The game last Friday stood Hardinsburg 13, Cloverport 20. The game went off quietly and was very interesting except in the first three innings, when the Cloverport boys pounded the ball all over the field and piled up about 12 runs.

The Breckinridge County Sunday School Convention, which met at Irvington July 13, was highly successful. The people of Irvington and the neighboring communities are noted for their hospitality and powers to please. The delegates, visitors and officers were all gladly welcomed, and the dinner prepared for them was good enough to please the taste of an epicure. Addresses were made on various Sunday School topics. The singing was good. Irvington can well be proud of her musical talent. The vocal solos of the Misses Henderson, Miss Munford and Miss Bennett were remarkable for sweetness of tone, clear enunciation and strength. The convention at Irvington was the second one held in the county, and showed a decided increase in interest. The next convention will be held at Hardinsburg. Hon. G. W. Beard is president of the county association and Mr. Jesse R. Eskridge secretary.

Hardinsburg has another newspaper—The Hardinsburg Leader. While it does not devote much of its valuable space to politics, yet when called out it will champion the cause of Democracy. So far it has been a bright, newsworthy sheet. The Republicans of the county could have secured the paper if they would, but they did not. The Republicans of Breckinridge have been so unfortunate in the way of a paper that they are slow to assist in the promotion of another. It is to their interest, however, it seems to me, to have a good Republican organ in the county. It is to be hoped they will secure one.

We take pleasure in adding to our roll this morning the names of Mr. F. N. Lake and Alva Duke as new scholars in T. J. Morton's class.

Mr. Horace Pendleton is a visitor this morning.

We take great pleasure in noting the presence of visitors, and we invite everybody to come and see our flourishing school.

Baldness is often preceded or accompanied by graying of the hair. To prevent both baldness and grayness, use Hall's Hair Renewer, an honored remedy.

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### RICHES BY STRATEGY.

When Philip Tracy married Bessie Gray he made a genuine love match. Bessie was one of a large family of pretty girls whose faces were their fortunes. Philip was not rich, but it was only a question of time how soon he would be, argued the five sisters; as an artist he was sure to succeed.

"I haven't much faith in artists," said easy-going Mr. Gray. "But Bessie loved the boy, so what could I say?"

So Philip carried Bessie off to his studio, where the doors were draped with oriental stuffs, and every corner was filled with vases and quaint folding screens.

"How do you like it, darling?" he cried, exultantly.

"It's beautiful," Bessie answered, trying to smile.

The old house was so roomy, so spacious! And here, in this cramped suite, she felt as if she could scarcely breathe.

"Have you any orders, Philip?" she asked.

"Well, not many yet—not any, in fact," he added, laughing. "But of course I shall have plenty one of these days. A man has to work his way up, you know."

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"So I will," said Philip, laughing, "when I get any cash."

"Philip! Haven't you any money left?"

He opened his wallet and held it up before her.

Bessie had always heard that artists were an improvident race; now she believed it.

"But, dear," she said, gently, "how are we to order the breakfast to-morrow?"

"Oh, the butcher'll trust us."

"And the grocer?"

"Save there."

"Now, pardon me, Philip, if I seem too inquisitive; but since I am to take charge of your household I can't understand things too fully. Do you owe the butcher or the grocer anything?"

"Not a cent, darling."

"Oh, I am so glad of that."

"Because, you goosey," her husband retorted, laughingly, "I have never yet ordered anything from either of them, for the simple reason that a bachelor never cooks his own food."

"Oh! Then you have always eaten at a restaurant?"

"Yes, love."

"Phil, do you owe anything at any of the restaurants?"

"Why, yes," shamefacedly. "I believe I do. There was a bill came in a few days ago from a restaurant keeper. It was accompanied by a very impertinent note. When I see that fellow, I shall tell him what I think of him."

There were tears in Bessie's eyes, but she bravely brushed them away, and said:

"Now, Phil, I want you to find that bill and give it to me."

It took him ten minutes to find it.

"Now," continued Bessie, "all the other bills you have."

At the end of two hours they had found them all, and Bessie footed them up. Then she gave a scream of dismay.

"Why, dear, you owe \$1,975.63."

"It looks that way," he admitted.

"Oh, Phil, dear, how could you do it?"

"Why, deuce take it, little girl, I had to live."

"But you owe almost two thousand dollars, and have not a dollar to offset all these bills. Philip, I'm going to keep these bills, and pay off a little on each in turn, as the money comes in."

"Why, little girl, I don't want you to be bothered with my debts," he protested, tenderly.

"I am afraid it always is the wife who really bears the burden of debts," Bessie could not help thinking.

As the months went on, and her gowns grew shabby, and the tradespeople clamored for their bills and no orders came in, Bessie's heart failed her, and even Philip began to look grave. And as if to crown their troubles, he fell ill of a fever, and life's trials stared Bessie grimly in the face.

But the girl was not easily conquered. While she sat by her husband's side counting the hours between his draughts of medicine, she sewed for a dressmaker over the way. When a kind neighbor came in for a few minutes in the evening to give her a chance to get a little fresh air she took her work home, and then scoured the neighborhood for a place where she could buy fruit at something less than ruinous prices, to tempt her husband's appetite.

One evening when she returned she found him tossing to and fro with a red spot burning on his cheek.

"A letter from Aunt Mary," he cried. "She's coming to make us a visit—now, of all times, when every thing is at the lowest ebb."

"But why not, Philip?"

Aunt Mary is the only rich relative I have. She declares she's going to leave all she has to me, because I'm the only member of the family who knows how to make money. If she sees what a pass

we've come to she'll never have another word to say to me."

Bessie looked sorrowfully around the studio. Everything that could by any possibility be sold had been sent away. The floor was carpetless, the walls were bare.

"When is she coming, Philip?" "On Wednesday—the day after tomorrow."

"Very well," said Bessie, with an arch nod of her head, and then ensued a long pause.

"Jones will help us," said Philip, and Pierce and Adams."

"And Mme. Foster and every one of the sewing girls will lend a hand. I am sure," said Bessie. "Oh, Philip, I am glad you are sufficiently recovered for us to try this experiment. We'll outfit Aunt Mary. We'll make her think that we are the most successful people on the face of the earth, as we shall be one day, I hope."

All the next day confusion reigned in the studio. Jones, a murmur painter of no mean pretensions, jingled in a half finished picture of "Moonlight on the Grand Canal at Venice," and established it on his friend's easel. Adams assisted by two able-bodied men brought in his upright piano, together with a pair of marble pedestals, crowned by bronze statuettes of Mercury and Venus. Mme. Foster and each of the sewing girls contributed pretty articles of brie-a-brac, draperies, gilt chairs and footstools.

In the midst of these luxuriant surroundings lay Philip when little shrivelled, sharp-eyed Aunt Mary was shown in.

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